



USA PAVILION at FRUIT LOGISTICA 2006

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International Trade Fair for Fruit and Vegetable Marketing

February 2 – 4, 2006 Berlin, Germany

GENERAL INFORMATION

Fruit Logistica is the largest trade show in the world for fresh produce, dried fruits, and tree nuts. Major retailers, importers, and wholesalers attend this 3-day event, making it an important contact center for horticultural traders interested in developing business relationships and increasing exposure in overseas markets.

SHOW STATISTICS

The 2005 event was more international than ever, attracting 1,355 exhibitors from 64 countries with some 28,500 visitors from 100 countries worldwide, an increase of 29 percent over 2004. Approximately 83 percent of the exhibitors and 70 percent of the visitors were from non-German countries. Buyers from Russia, United Kingdom, Spain, Germany, Turkey, and many other countries visited the USA Pavilion in search of U.S. products.

MARKET INFORMATION

World imports of fresh fruits and vegetables, dried fruits, and tree nuts were valued at about \$36.5 billion in 2003. The EU-15 was the top importer of these products, with reported imports of \$9.2 billion in fresh fruits and vegetables, \$716 million in dried fruits, and \$1.9 billion in tree nuts in 2003.

U.S. exports of fresh and dried fruits, fresh vegetables, and tree nuts totaled \$6.2 billion in calendar year 2004. The top markets for U.S. fresh and dried fruits, vegetables, and tree nut exports in calendar year 2004 were Canada (\$2.2 billion), the EU–25 (\$1.4 billion), and Japan (\$702 million).

TOP U.S. MARKET OPPORTUNITIES

APPLES CRANBERRIES
DRIED PLUMS GRAPEFRUIT
PACKAGED VEGETABLES PEARS

The USA Pavilion at Fruit Logistica is endorsed by the United States Department of Agriculture, Foreign Agricultural Service.

For additional information contact: **B-FOR International USA**Phone: (540) 373-9935

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USA PAVILION PARTICIPATION CONDITIONS

Participation in the USA Pavilion is open to companies and organizations selling and promoting U.S. products (i.e., at least 51 percent U.S. origin computed on a value or volume basis), their overseas subsidiaries, agents, representatives, and licensees.

USA PAVILION PARTICIPATION OPTIONS

SPACE ONLY

Exhibit with your custom booth within the USA Pavilion Includes:

Space (minimum 9 m²)

Full access to all USA Pavilion services including Hospitality Lounge, Business Services, and High Speed Internet Access

One exhibitor pass for every 3 sqm

COMPLETE BOOTH PACKAGE

An easy, cost-effective way to exhibit

Includes:

Carpeted Space (minimum 9 m²)

Fully furnished booth equipped with:

Lighting Signage
One Table Three Chairs
One Bar Stool Two Shelves

One Info Counter

Full access to all USA Pavilion services including Hospitality Lounge, Business Services, and High Speed Internet Access

One exhibitor pass for every 3 sqm

FUNDING AVAILABILITY

Your company may be eligible to take advantage of a financial support program that helps offset the cost of exhibiting at international trade shows. By exhibiting in the USA Pavilion, eligible companies can receive reimbursement for up to 50 percent of exhibition-related expenses, including exhibiting fees, international travel costs, set-up rental, and freight. Contact the State Regional Trade Group in your geographic area for Branded Program application details:

Food Export USA Northeast

www.foodexportusa.org, Application Due: August 1st

MIATCO (Mid-America International Agri-Trade Council) www.miatco.org, Application Due: August 1st

SUSTA (Southern United States Trade Association) www.susta.org, Application Due: July 30th

WUSATA (Western United States Agricultural Trade Association)
www.wusata.org, Application Due: July 1st



FRUIT LOGISTICA 2006 USA PAVILION APPLICATION February 2-4, 2006, Berlin, Germany



DEADLINE: September 1, 2005

Exhibitor Information				
EXHIBITIOR:		PRINCIPAL CONTACT:		
ADDRESS:				
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:	COUNTRY:
PHONE: ()	FAX: ()		E-MAIL:	
Participation Information				
I. Participation Options				
A. Pavilion Space Only (Minimum 9 m ²)	B. Complete Booth (Minimum 9 m ²)			
$_{} \text{m}^2 @ 350 \in / \text{m}^2$	$m^2 @ 550 \in / m^2$			=€
II. Co-Exhibitors (Only registered co-exhibitors wi	II receive the co-exhibitor pac	kage including	signage and exhi	pitor passes)
Co-Exhibitors @ 150 € each				+€
III. Mandatory Promotion F Charged by the Show Organizer, this fee include	Package (90 € per Exhibitor a	and 90 € per C	o-Exhibitor) e Fruit Logistica Virtual Ma	+€
Upon completion of application	on please transfer 50% depo	sit to:	-	TOTAL =€ Z 100 500 00, Account # 0770007660
Special Requests Pleas	e check appropriate box			
□ 1 Corner □ 2 Corners (P	eninsula) 🛛 d Corners (Isla	and) 10% p	remium per reque	sted corner, No guarantees
□ Contact me about Space Only	y outside of the USA Pavilion			
Authorized Signature Applie	cant has read, understands, and is	s bound by the 1	erms and Condition	
X		Date		Fax completed application to:
^		Date		B-FOR International USA
Name		Title		Fax: + 1 (540) 372-1414

Terms & Conditions of Participation

B-FOR International, hereinafter referred to as B-FOR, and the exhibiting organization, hereinafter referred to as the Exhibitor, by the signing of the USA Pavilion Application do hereby agree to and are bound by the following conditions of participation:

I. B-FOR agrees:

- A. To carry out the project described in the Invitation, on the condition that the requisite number of exhibitors apply.
- B. To provide the following exhibition services: overall stand/exhibition design, fabrication, installation and dismantling of rental display system, furniture and standard identification signs, electrical for normal usage, access to business services, exhibitor lounge and other services described in the Invitation.
- II. The Exhibitor agrees:
- A. To submit a completed Application for participation, duly signed, and transfer 50% deposit to B-FOR, who will approve Application for participation upon receipt.
- B. To make payments to B-FOR for exhibit space and stand equipment as well as for additional services as ordered and/or contracted. In all cases where an Exhibitor has co-exhibitors within its group exhibit, the primary Exhibitor is responsible for all the group's payments.
- C. To keep a fully equipped and staffed stand in the USA Pavilion during all open hours throughout the entire show. If Exhibitor fails to comply, B-FOR may make provisions to equip and staff the Exhibitor's stand at Exhibitor's expense.

- D. To carry its own property and liability insurance.
- E. To take responsibility for all costs for shipping, duties, and handling of all own printed material and all own exhibits, and the removal of said material from the exhibition site after the close of the show.

III. Other conditions:

- A. B-FOR has the sole authority to assign, reassign and allocate space. Exhibitor Applications will be processed in the order they and full payment are received. B-FOR reserves the right to accept or refuse applications for any reason. Confirmation of participation, as well as space allocation, is made solely by B-FOR
- B. USA Pavilion participation is open to companies and organizations selling and promoting U.S. products (i.e., at least 51 percent U.S. origin computed on a value or volume basis), their overseas subsidiaries, agents, representatives and licensees only.
- C. Exhibitors may not sublease contracted booth space without written consent from B-FOR.
- Although B-FOR will make every effort to facilitate a successful exhibition, it does not guarantee the success of any participant in the USA Pavilion. The only contractual obligation B-FOR assumes are those expressly made herein or mutually agreed to in writing.
- E. The Exhibitor releases B-FOR and the Show Organizers from liability for any illness, injury, loss of life, damage to persons or

- property by reason of participation in the USA Pavilion, or by reasons of acts by Exhibitor, its agents, employees, contracted labor or clients.
- F. If, for any reason, the Exhibitor cancels participation, and a written notice is received by B-FOR before September 1, 2005, no cancellation fees will apply. Exhibitors who cancel participation before November 1, 2005 will incur a \$500 cancellation fee. The balance of all fees must be paid no later than November 1, 2005, after which date no refunds will be made and the Exhibitor is bound to pay 100% of all fees paid and due. Any reduction in space size after an Application has been submitted will be treated as a cancellation.
- G. The payment submitted with an Application is fully refundable in the event the Exhibitor is not approved by B-FOR or no more exhibit space is available.
- H. These Terms and Conditions amend and supersede all other conditions, rules and regulations laid down by the Show Organizers.
- B-FOR is authorized to mail, fax, and/or email to Exhibitors materials related to this event and other potential events of interest.

Please retain a copy of this Application for your records.